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BELLEVUE, ALBERTA, SATURDAY 1 FEBRUARY 6, 1914

\$2.00 YEARLY

F. M. Thompson Go. "The Quality Store"

High-Class Groceries - Choice Fruits and Vegetables

Bean Coffee (ground or whole) per lb.	25c
Muscadet Raisins, per lb.	10c
Red Cross Pickles (sour, sweet or chow) per btl.	25c
Holbrook's Pickles, per bottle	20c
Hain Catup, per bottle	25c
Siam Rice, 4 lbs. for	25c
Brown Beans, 3 lbs. for	25c
"Golden Dew" Creamery Butter, per lb.	35c
"Empire" Bacon, per lb.	23c
Baking Powder, two tins for	25c
Bulk Tea, per lb.	30c
Desdemona's Honey, 5 lb. tins each	90c
B. C. Potatoes, per 100 lbs.	\$1.90
Beets, 10 lbs. for	25c
Carrots, 10 lbs. for	25c

Fresh Celery and Hot House Rhubarb

PHONE 25

The Store That Saves You Money
BLAIRMORE ALBERTA

Bargains in Cold Weather Necessities

Here are a few bargains in merchandise you can use nicely these cold days. They are priced practically at factory cost for a quick clearance:

A good line of Men's Heavy Suits to close out at Tweed's reg. \$20.00 at \$12.50
Fine Blue Serge, \$22.00
A Men's Heavy Coat, \$15.00
25 Pairs Ladies' Lined Gloves, worth up to \$2.00. Price 15 to 20c
50 Pairs Children's Gloves or Mitts. Your choice for Ladies' Wool Shirts and Drawers, ankle length, worth \$1.25, for Women's Cashmere Hoses for
Boys' Sweaters, all sizes, worth up to \$1.50, on sale for Girls' Coats, your choice of coat for Women's Coats, your choice at

THE BLAIRMORE TRADING CO.
Blairmore ALBERTA

Smallwood's Hard Times Cutters (new)

We have a few ready from, \$25.00 each, also light and heavy "Bobs."

SKATES GROUND AT POWER AT

The Forge Blairmore

J. W. GRESHAM

Horseshoer, Blacksmith, Wheelwright

New and Second-Hand Sleighs and Cutters

New and Second-Hand Democarts and Buggies

ALL WORK RECEIVES PERSONAL ATTENTION

Estimates Given Free for All Iron Work Large or Small

We have the best equipment and accommodation in the district.

Home Phone 81
BLAIRMORE

Shop Phone 7
ALBERTA

Increased Postage

Arrangements have been made whereby the ordinary rate of two cents per ounce applicable to all letters sent from Canada to the United Kingdom, will be added to letters addressed to British and Canadian troops on the continent. The rate on ordinary letters from Canada for the continent is five cents for the first ounce, and three cents for each additional ounce, so the addition of the two cents an ounce rate to letters addressed to our soldiers on the continent, is a decided reduction in favor of correspondence going to the soldiers.

It Pays to Advertise

METHODIST MINISTER RECOMMENDED
CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY

Rev. James A. Lewis, Milner, Minn., writes: "Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has been a needed and welcome guest in our home for a number of years. I highly recommend it to my fowls as being a medicine worthy of trial in cases of colds, cough and croup." Give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy a trial and we are confident you will find it very effective and continue to use it as occasion requires for years to come, as many others have done. For sale by all dealers.

Local Patriotism At Fever Height

The long-looked-for wave of patriotism has at last struck Bellevue, and the topic of "enlistment" is the only one holding the boards these days. The posters calling for recruits for the 3rd Canadian Mounted Rifles seem to have worked the oracle. All day Sunday the boys of Bellevue discussed the pros and cons of the subject, and the following decided to go to Pincher Creek the same evening so as to be on hand early Monday morning. Jack Allenby, Thomas Wade, J. Wilson, Percy Knowles, "Dad" MacLeod and "Slim" Harry (of Frank) a large crowd soon left off at the depot, bearing a feeling of pride that our boys had stepped up to the strict military standards set by the regiment. Monday, the boys return from the flame to fever height, and a further contingent consisting of Wallace Raynor, George Christian, William Sheen, Lauchlin Cook, Charles Perry and Joe McLean, left the same evening and again came the glad news that all had been accepted.

Enthusiasm at this stage hardly describes conditions in town. When the news of the second bunch being accepted reached town, another crowd immediately arranged to leave for Pincher Creek on Tuesday night. They included the following: Joe Flizpatrick (late Bonduardier Royal Horse Artillery—service in Africa and India 7 years), Charles Ray, Robert Levitt and Frank Roseley.

Wednesday morning word was received by Dr Mackenzie that he could examine all desiring to enlist, and the following successfully passed the ordeal and left for Pincher Creek. Wednesday evening, a large crowd gathered at the Fisher, Michael Randall, Alfie Hamilton, E. Mitchell, Thomas Fisher, Thomas Woodward, James McNeil, and William Cuselman. From small appearances, Bellevue is going to be the banner town for the 13th Canadian Mounted Rifles, and here's hoping the boys bring back a bunch of German helmets—we almost said "scalps."

Red Cross Notes

On Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 10th, Mrs. McLeod Green and Mrs. E. P. Roberts will give a tea at their home for Mrs. Green, in aid of the Red Cross funds. Tea will be served from 3 to 6 P.M., at ten cents each.

A large sum of money received from "A Pack" is hereby gratefully acknowledged. It has enabled us to send double the quantity of wool for socks.

The Supervisors have reported a fairly good response in their appeal to the miners for a voluntary contribution. The total amount thus collected will appear in next week's issue.

5,000 Facts About Canada

"Know about Canada! make Canada known" is the slogan of the Red Cross Year. We expect to have for 1915 of that popular booklet "5,000 Facts About Canada," compiled by Frank Yeigh, of Toronto, who knows Canada as probably few Canadians do. It is true that he who would know Canada and its wonderful growth in any one year, will find this annual publication "worth its weight in gold." The book is a mine of facts about the means of making the Dominion known in other countries, it is no less valuable. Fifty chapters are devoted to such subjects as Agriculture, Area, Banking, Census, Immigration, Mining, Manufacturing, Trade, etc. and page of Canadian War Facts show how up-to-date it is. Since the book was first published in 1907 and 1915, copies may be had from progressive newsletters, or by sending 25c to the Canadian Public Publishing Co., 588 Huron Street, Toronto, Canada.

Mr. Shaw, general auditor for Burns & Co., was in town during the week.

Should Include

Canadian Coal

Tabor, Alta., Feb. 1.—The Barber Times says: Up in Bellevue, one of the coal camps of the Crows Nest Pass, one of the mining companies have for the past several years enjoyed a contract with an American concern, the O. R. & N. for the supply of 300 tons of coal per day during a stated season. This year the Americans cancelled the contract, stating that while they were well satisfied with the coal given them, they were dubious as to this particular time of spending their money in their own country. The concern is now using Wyoming coal, an inferior product, merely that they may keep their money at all.

But down in Winnipeg, and other points in Manitoba, only a short distance from the new Canadian mines, between 4,000 and 5,000 tons of American coal per day is being brought in from Pennsylvania, with practically no duty charge, and taken up from the head of the lakes by the C.P.R. at a rate which precludes the possibility of any competition.

As a result of this many hundreds of good Canadian miners and their families up and down the Crows' Nest Pass, have been brought to the point of starvation through lack of work, necessitating the acceptance of aid from the governments.

That such a condition of affairs actually exists does not reflect very highly upon the loyalty and patriotism of those within whose power the remedy lies. It is true that Winnipeg and Brandon people cannot afford to buy Taber coal because of the existing rates. But if that Manitoba market could be opened up, the coal of this district, the output would be greatly increased that is to say, the output could be reduced. The high rates, of course, are altogether too high at any time. American coal shut out, and the rates reduced from here would do away with any necessity for government relief.

Austrian Miner Stole From C. P. R. Car

Macleod, Alta., Jan. 30.—Charged with receiving a number of articles stolen from a C. P. R. car, Alfie Wiles, an Austrian miner of Coleman, was yesterday remanded by Judge McNeill in the District Court to two months' imprisonment on one charge, and a fine of \$50.00 or a further two months on another charge.

A further charge of stealing two bags of flour, the property of the Pelleter Saw Mills, was also investigated, but on this charge accused was discharged, and an attorney for the prosecution, W. M. Campbell, K.C., to lay a charge of receiving the same articles, was defeated by the arguments of H. Ostlund of Lethbridge and L. H. Putnam of Blairmore, who argued for the accused.

A Bill To Abolish Hanging

Robert Bickerdike, M.P., for the St. Lawrence division of Montreal, will urge more use upon parliament next session the abolition of capital punishment. Bickerdike believes that the execution of a criminal at a public挂 execution, such as at the last session, characterizes the imposition of the death penalty as a blot upon civilization. He had many supporters in the house, but his bill never proceeded further than the first reading. Mr. Bickerdike came back again at the war session, believing that though men were killing each other, it was better to let them live. The Oldfowls of Cowley held their annual ball last night.

The Best Cough Medicine
"I have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy ever since I have been in this house," says C. Baines, of Blairmore. "I consider it the best remedy I ever used. My children have all taken it and it works like a charm. For colds and whooping cough it is excellent." For sale by all dealers.

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Mr. Low Price is Visiting Here Saturday and Monday Give Him a Welcome

Tomatoes, 3 cans for

Peas, Beans or Corn, 3 cans

Salmon, 3 cans

Lard, 3 lbs.

lard, 5 lbs.

Quaker Oats, per package

10c

Wheat Flour, per sack

10c

Wheaten Wheat, per sack

15c

Gran, per can

10c

Rogers' Syrup, 5 lbs.

25c

Punch Syrup, per bottle

25c

Ice Cream, 2 lbs.

25c

Herring in Tomato Sauce, 2 lbs.

25c

Beef Ham Paste, 3 cans

25c

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25c

Beef Ham Paste, 3 lbs.

75c

Fry's Cocoa, 1/2 lb. cans

25c

Prunes, 2 lbs.

25c

Eggs, per dozen

35c

Fresh Butter, 2 lbs. for

Red Rose, 2 lbs. per lb.

Biscuits, per lb.

25c

Currrants, 3 lbs.

25c

Meat Pak Powder, 2 cans

10c

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25c

Navel Oranges, per dozen

15c

Orange Peels, 2 packages

45c

Washing Soda, 7 lbs.

25c

Wine, per bottle

15c

Lye, per can

10c

Old Dutch Cleanser, per can

10c

Plain Salt, per lb.

35c

Plain Salt, per box

15c

FRESH BEEF, 2 lbs. for

Red Rose, 2 lbs. per lb.

40c

Beef, per lb.

25c

Beef, per lb.</p

How Zam-Buk Cures Skin Diseases

As soon as Zam-Buk generates right to the very root of the disease, make the cause thereof. The rich, herbal essences then so stimulate the skin that a new healthy tissue is formed, which, as it grows, covers over the old. Zam-Buk cures from the bottom up. This is the reason that some skin diseases cured by Zam-Buk, do not return, even from other ointments.

It does not contain harsh mineral salts, which is a great matter. Nor does it contain coarse mineral salts, which is another. Zam-Buk is the only skin salve that will keep indefinitely.

It is a salve that cures by Zam-Buk after having suffered for years and spent hundreds of dollars in other cures.

We are so convinced that a trial of Zam-Buk will prove to you that it cures skin diseases, we will send you a FREE TRIAL box on receipt of this article, name of town and address, and postage and return postage. Address Zam-Buk Co., Toronto.

All Drugs and Stores sell Zam-Buk.



Indian Trappers Turn to Fishing. The fisheries department has learned that the Indians and some of the Indians have been spending time west through the sparsely settled country, and have been able to fish for trout in the northern lakes. Thus, the Indians in some parts have sought to turn to fishing as a means of sustenance in the northern settlers, and a certain number of men who were out of work in the cities have turned to fishing as a course, and the government have granted the Indians whatever it was found to be.

The consumption of fish in the United States is increasing, and the market has, however, fallen off very considerably and prices are low.

Miners' Limiment Cures Diphtheria.

Our Indian forces fulfilled, and now the Indians are here, and that we entertained of them. They have shown not merely courage, but also a spirit of self-sacrifice, and a manner which has awakened the admiration of some of those who have never seen the Indians. They have shown a heavy tribute in casualties. I am certain that in the same order as I am writing this, some of the Indians will be buried by those who have lost their brothers and sisters in the same order as I am writing this. —Marquis of Craven.

DISFIGURING RASH SPREAD OVER CHILD

Itching and Burning, Restless and Fretful at Night. Used Cuticura Soap and Ointment. In Two Months No Trace of Trouble.

Kirkaldie, Oct. 17.—My child's trouble began with a pustule around the ear. This spread over the face, and then to the nose, to sore areas which were itching and burning. The child's face and for the time disfigured him. That was the cause which really caused him to irritate the erosion of the skin. The child was restless and fretful at night.

"Without fail, I used Cuticura Soap and two applications of Cuticura Soap and Ointment stopped the burning and eased the child's restlessness. The Cuticura Soap and then applied the Ointment. In two months' time no trace of the trouble was left. —Kirkaldie, Oct. 17, 1914.

Sampled Free by Mail

"Would you like Cuticura Soap? Then, with the master with my skin and I thought Cuticura Soap was only for skin troubles. True, it is, but it is not the greatest means to prevent skin troubles. For more than a generation Cuticura Soap has been the standard for all skin troubles. It is the standard for this purpose, and it is the standard for all the advantages of the best of toilet soaps. Cuticura Soap and Ointment are sold by all the best druggists and dealers throughout the world. Liberal sample of each mailed free, with 25¢. Back of Address. —Cuticura, Dept. D, Boston, U. S. A."

Marvels in Mathematics

Young Hindus Solve Complex Problems Instantly Without Ever Picking Up a Pencil to Paper

There is at the present time studying at Cambridge one of the greatest mathematical geniuses the world has ever seen—a young Hindu. Mr. B. R. Hardi, of Madras, India, who though he is only twenty-six years of age, says London, Tiff-Bits, has excited the admiration of the mathematical world. Perhaps the most extraordinary thing about Ramanujan is that he is self-taught. He is quite untaught.

Only a year ago he was a clerk in the employment of the Fort Trust of Madras.

In spite of this, he has, to quote Mr. Hardi, Fellow of Trinity, who has taken a great interest in Ramanujan, "a mind of the greatest order, a mind of which the leading mathematician in the world has not been added to the knowledge of school men, although he was quite ignorant of the English language." Ramanujan, indeed, his mathematical education is rather a mystery, and the first it is known that he had any, was a year ago when he wrote to me explaining who he was and what he knew of remarkable mathematical theorems which he has proved.

He has produced mathematical genius produced by India in the last three years. A member of the Royal Asiatic Society held a special conference meeting at Madras, and Ramanujan was invited by the arithmetical powers of a Tamil boy, Arunangam. A complicated series of calculations was made by the boy, and he was asked to explain his powers, each of which he answered with a smile. A chess master, a boy chess master, was given a treat to 173 persons a bushel of rice, each of whom was given a small bag of rice, and the chess master and the chess stipulated that seventeen per cent. should be given to the chess master. The chess master, however, said that he could not get the 173 persons to give him the 173 bags of rice, and the chess master came the answer which had to be given to the chess master, 173,173,173, the 173 being the number of the chess master.

Answers of Ointments for Catarrh That Contain Mercury

It is not unusual to find the same of small and complete derange the work of the mucous membranes.

Such substances as mercury may be found in reputable physicians, as the damage may be done by the use of mercury.

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GETTING BETTER AFTER SICKNESS

Nothing has ever equalled, or compared with the medicinal fats of Safflower Oil, to arrest the decline, invigorate the blood, strengthen the nervous system, aid the appetite, and restore the courage of better health.

Safflower Oil is a pure, natural, vegetable oil, containing no animal or mineral fats, which is a great advantage.

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OUR LEADING HOTELS

The Passburg Hotel

T. H. DUNCAN, Prop.

Bright, Clean Wholesome Rooms

The Bar is well stocked with the Finest Wines,
Liquors and Imported and Domestic CigarsTHE
Southern Hotel
BELLEVUE - ALBERTABar well stocked with the best Wines, Liquors
and Cigars.

The Most Popular Hotel in Bellevue

Comfortable Lodgings at
Moderate Rates

Special Attention to Dining Service

Rocky Mountain Sanatorium
at the
Famous Sulphur SpringsLocated Amidst the Most Beautiful Scenery in the
Canadian Rockies

Rendezvous For Rheumatic Patients

FRANK :: ALBERTA

COSMOPOLITAN HOTEL!

A. A. SPARKS, prop.

SOLID BRICK STRUCTURE
STEAM HEATED THROUGHOUT
BEST AND MOST ELABORATE
HOTEL IN SOUTHERN ALBERTARATES: Per month \$35.00 and \$40.00 for board and
room. Meal Tickets \$8.00

BLAIRMORE :: ALBERTA

N. W. Andrew, provincial secretary for the Retail Merchants Association of Canada, in town yesterday, and brought addressed copy of a resolution of the association to the premier, who at a local branch of the association was formed. At the meeting passed: "Resolved that the retail merchants of Blairmore, Alberta, wish to impress upon the premier and members of the Legislative

Cowley Happenings

All winter goods at McVoy's are going at half price or lower.

Several children in the village are suffering from colds.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Coghill have both been ill with grippe.

Mrs. Swift has been very ill, but is slowly recovering under the care of Mrs. Balmer.

"Old Mike" So he knows that Jehovah drank, does he? So do I—but cold water.

Mr. Clinton and Mrs. Welsh attended the farmed convention at Edmonton last week.

Twenty-one horses were sold at remounts in Cowley on Monday. Prices were very low.

There was no service at the Presbyterian church on Sunday last, as the pastor was ill.

The service at the meeting of the L. O. on Wednesday, the 10th, was some interesting business is to come up.

A. H. Knight is having the cellar of his Cowley store cleaned out, prepared for cement walls. Looks as though he was going to set up business again in Cowley.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Freeman have been here to urge Peigan to take charge of the section there. As far as I can tell, Mr. and Mrs. Freeman as managers of the section house.

About twenty men and several women went from here to Edmonton to attend the convention. If numbers count for anything, Cowley farmers ought to know how to manage.

Mrs. Denis left here last week to Sudbury to visit her mother-in-law, Mrs. Dorion, and Mrs. Denis has severed her connection with McVoy's and is at present staying with Charles Fountain at Galt.

Constituted.—The parliament of Alberta, 31 of whose members are elected by popular suffrage, but has passed a measure forbidding the sale of alcoholic liquors. Now—All the remaining stock in the British dependency has been exported. Therefore Mr. Putman will be able to find a little of it in Blairmore for future use.

Another donation of \$12.50 was sent to the Ladies' Institute by Mr. Hewitt, of the North Fork, for the relief fund. Another supply of socks, mitts, hats, and belts were sent to us once at the front, also considerable new clothes are being donated to the Queen Mary fund for the benefit of children in the war zone.

A young man from the North Fork came here on one day last week to sell his horses for the war and lost his way home. He got scurvy in a different direction altogether, until some friends found him and took him in over night and he was taken to hospital, rejoining the front Monday. In the early morning a search party would have been formed to hunt him up; but all's well that ends well. Watch, Peigan, next time that you don't take that same wrong road.

A very interesting meeting was held on Monday in the Tabernacle in the park, to hear the report of the delegates to the U. F. A. convention. Although a letter of invitation was sent by the chairman of the convention, no delegations from Cowley, or any other place, made for, or arranged in Edmonton; it was found that, although they carried their travellers' cards, there was no relation to them, and also there was no one to receive them. The meeting was opened with a short service, and all parents should go and see their children masked and encourage them a little.

Frank and Coleman met in the return game of the second series on Wednesday evening. Both teams were at full strength and a good fast and clean game was witnessed, Coleman winning by 5 to 1.

Benson refuted the game.

Frank has yet to meet Coleman at Coleman, with four goals to their credit, to decide the final series.

A meeting of the school trustees was held on Monday last. The services of J. H. Farmer as secretary-treasurer for 1915 were secured.

The trustees consider Mr. Farmer, at such a critical time, a most invaluable, and irreplaceable.

Two circular letters from the department of education, regarding taxes, were read and placed with the secretary-treasurer.

Considerable discussion regarding finances ensued.

Frank's hockey team journeyed to Coleman on Friday evening last.

Upon arriving there, it was decided to make the game a regular league game instead of the return series game, the series game to be played on Monday evening.

Both teams were at full strength.

Benson again had charge of the game and gave excellent satisfaction throughout.

Although Frank's team was not expected to win, they

gave the Coleman team all they wanted and it was just a matter of luck that gave the Coleman the game.

Coleman won by 4 to 1.

Street rumors say that a new

bank is to be established in Blairmore to look after the "knockie"

made on the Town of Blairmore by a well-known pioneer land-grabber and financier.

Don't You Believe It.

Some say that the Cowley constitution cannot be cured. Don't you believe it? Chamberlain's Tablets have cured others—why not you? Give them a trial. They cost only a quarter. For sale by all dealers.

Miss E. Bensemer, who has been

seriously ill for the past two weeks,

considerably improved and

hope to be about shortly.

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Assembly of Alberta the urgent

necessity of a Small Debt Act, as

petitioned for by the Retail Mer-

chants Association during the last

session, and which the premier

promised would be prepared and

presented during the next session,

and in view of the forthcoming

assembly of parliament the under-

signed respectfully request that

such an act be brought before the

House for consideration.

Frank Happenings

Harry Jepson was a Bellevue visitor on Monday.

Alf. Tristram spent last weekend with friends in Bellevue.

W. Blinston, of Burns, was visiting here on Thursday.

David Hyslop, of Coleman, was

a business visitor in town on Monday.

Lauglin McMillan has joined

the 3rd contingent at Pincher Creek.

Francis Aspinwall, assistant chief

inspector of mines, was in town on

Tuesday.

District President Phillips came

to town from Fernie on Tuesday

morning.

Rev. W. T. Young was in Blair-

more on Tuesday morning, attending

a meeting at the Presbyterian church.

Nat. Marshall, district boiler in-

spector, was here Wednesday and

Thursday inspecting boilers at the local plant.

James Boyle left here on Wednes-

day evening for Pincher Creek, where he offered his services for

his king and country.

"Slim" Barry, an old timer

through The Pass, left Sunday

evening and was successful in joining the Pincher Creek contingent.

Tom Sanderson, who was recently

connected with the mounted

police force at Prince Albert, has

joined the 3rd contingent at Pincher Creek.

Denis Fleming was in Blairmore

on Tuesday evening to join the

new Order of Hospitalites. With

Denis in its ranks that noble order

should be complete.

Fred Parker (short) and Capt. F. Marsh have joined the Mounted Rifles of the 3rd contingent at Pincher Creek. Both return home on Friday evening to settle things up and return Wednesday evening.

The election of a councillor for

Frank resulted in the return of

Danny Stone. Danny's election

committee had all the

towns in town section, besides what

they erected for advertising purposes.

A carnival will be held on the

Frank tank shortly, for the Sunday school children only. This is

something new in The Pass, and

we hope to see all the children

taking advantage of it. Young

is making every effort to ensure

success, and all parents should go

and see their children masked and

encourage them a little.

Frank and Coleman met in the

return game of the second series

on Wednesday evening. Both

teams were at full strength and a

good fast and clean game was wit-

nessed, Coleman winning by 5 to 1.

Benson refuted the game.

Frank has yet to meet Coleman at

Coleman, with four goals to their

credit, to decide the final series.

A meeting of the school trustees

was held on Monday last. The

services of J. H. Farmer as secre-

tary-treasurer for 1915 were secured.

The trustees consider Mr. Farmer,

at such a critical time, a most

invaluable, and irreplaceable.

Two circular letters from the

department of education, regarding

taxes, were read and placed with the

secretary-treasurer.

Considerable discussion regarding

finances ensued.

Frank's hockey team journeyed to

Coleman on Friday evening last.

Upon arriving there, it was decided

to make the game a regular

league game instead of the return

series game, the series game to be

played on Monday evening.

Both teams were at full strength.

Benson again had charge of the game

and gave excellent satisfaction

throughout.

Although Frank's team was not

expected to win, they

gave the Coleman team all they

wanted and it was just a matter of

luck that gave the Coleman the game.

Coleman won by 4 to 1.

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Local and General

J. R. Palmer, solicitor, was up

from Lethbridge on Thursday.

Mrs. C. R. Voelker arrived from

Fort William, Ont., on Sunday.

Mr. Kidby, maternity home,

Box 95, Phone 151. Wedding cakes decorated.

Mr. Humphreys, coal buyer for

the C. P. R., was in town on Wednesday and Thursday of this week.

Grove Matthews and William

Eddy, of Beaver Mines, paid "The

Hub of the Crows" Nest Pass a visit this week.

The case of the Post Office De-

partment case with Marcelle Neyron

comes up for hearing at Blairmore on Tuesday next.

A large number of local folks

attended the dance given at the

Sanatorium last night, and all re-

port having had a good time.

Mr. Barbour, formerly of the

Foothills, Lac du Bois, accepted

a position as precipitist at the local

driving school.

Thomas Boyd and Thomas J.

Moore, of Beaver Mines, and Elvyn

C. Macdonald, of Bellevue, have

been appointed commissioners for

driving affidavits.

Mike Rossi returned the early

part of the week from Stavely and

Calgary. "Mike" says Calgary is

better off than Blairmore, because

it has no knockers!

Denis Fleming was in Blairmore

on Tuesday evening to join the

new Order of Hospitalites. With

him to help him out of his

troubles was his son, Denis, who

was taken to hospital on Saturday

after having been in practice for

only 37 years.

F. Morris Paton and Walker are

busily engaged this week

driving for ice. Their ice comes

from Crow's Nest Lake and is the

best seen for years.

An article of interest to our Bel-

gian and French citizens, from the

pen of Rev. E. Petrequin is crow-

dled out of our paper this week, and

will appear in our next issue.

L. H. Putnam left Tuesday

morning for Spokane, Wash., where he will defend a Canadian

citizen who is detained there, charged with a breach of the Man-

it Act.

J. W. Gresham, now a troop

officer to all the charge of the

Third Canadian Mounted Rifles,

now at Medicine Hat, came to

town on Wednesday, and will re-

main about a week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Gresham

have returned from the Sanator-

ium to their residence on the West

Canadian townsite. No doubt

such rough boulders could now be had from dwellers in that vicinity.

H. G. and Mrs. Bigelow and chil-

dren left for Ontario on Thursday

night. Owing to failing health,

Mr. Bigelow is obliged to seek a

lower altitude, and intends to

spend some months on a farm in

the hope of recuperating.

A pleasant party was held in

the Oldfields' hall on Wednesday

night, the occasion being to

bid farewell to Mr. and Mrs. H. G.

Bigelow. Luncheon was served to

about sixty people, followed by a

programme of speeches and music.

J. E. Gillis spent a few days

this week in Calgary, where he

was called in connection with the

London, Maritime & Accident Co.

He understood that Mr. Gillis

had been appointed that company's

solicitor for this district.

Arthur Farmer, brother of J. H.

Farmer, has been appointed a

quarter-master sergeant in the 3rd

Canadian mounted rifles at Medi-

cine Hat. We expect to hear of

him being appointed a colonel be-

fore the war is over. Arthur is

longing for the trenches.

Miss Reardon, of Pincher Creek, is visiting the Misses McLeod.

James Turner, son of Samuel

Turner, of Blairmore, has joined

the ranks at Pincher Creek as

bogger.

We are late in issuing this week,

on account of our machine oper-

ator, Eugene L. Crane, being indis-

posed.

F. E. Hinds and W. M. Marney left

for Pincher Creek on Wednesday

night, where they have decided to

join the soldiers of the King.

H. M. Rutherford, R. Foulds and

Augustine Howe go to Pincher

Creek tomorrow night, where they

hope to join the 3rd contingent.

A paper read before a meeting of

the Association of Statutory

Engineers at Hillcrest on Thurs-

day night last will appear in these

columns next week. We regret

that space will not permit an ap-

pearance in this issue.

A special sitting of the district

court was held at Macleod on Friday

before his honor Judge McNeil.

The cases tried were all

criminal, arising from thefts

from box cars, and of receiving

stolen goods, knowing them to

have been stolen.

This application was most vigorously

opposed by the solicitor for the accused.

L. H. Putnam, of Blairmore, after

hearing the evidence, dismissed the

accused on the theft charge,

and convicted him on the charge of receiving stolen goods.

The other charge of receiving

stolen goods was withdrawn by the

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AUDITORS' REPORT

The Town of Blairmore, Alberta

Report and Financial Statements For The Year
Ending December 31st, 1914.HIS WORSHIP THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL
Town of Blairmore, Alberta.

Gentlemen:

We have in accordance with Sections 51 and 53 (2) of the Town Act, examined and audited the Books and Vouchers of the Town of Blairmore, Alberta, for the year ended 31st December, 1914, and here beg to submit the following Statements:

Balance Sheet—General.

Revenue and Expenditure Account—Town.

Revenue and Expenditure Account—Waterworks Department.

Statement of Bonded Debt.

All our requirements as auditors have been compiled with.

We have to report that the Balance Sheet attached here-to and signed by us, together with the relative Appendices thereto are in our opinion properly drawn up so as to exhibit a true and correct view of the state of the Town affairs according to the best of our information and the explanations given to us and as shown by the Books of the Town.

Reported by

W. A. HENDERSON CO.,
Chartered Accountants,

Auditors for the Town of Blairmore, Alberta

Acadia Building, Lethbridge, Alberta,

19th January, 1915.

Balance Sheet -- General

ASSETS

CASH:	
In hands of Secretary-Treasurer	\$126.05
ARREARS OF TAXES:	
1913 and prior	\$6221.00
1914	8,165.12

ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE:

Water Consumers Accounts	550.75
F. W. Doubt	18.85
J. R. Irwin	211.90
H. C. Moore	25.00
F. P. Snyder	111.00
L. W. Kribis	.95
T. W. Burrows	11.00

UNPAID DEBTENTURES:

Discount Debenture

INVENTORIES:

Tools and Chattels	43.70
Less Depreciation Reserve 20 p.c.	12.53
Cemetery	130.00
Less Receipts	35.00
Police Supplies	95.00
Less written off	108.93
Depreciation Reserve	31.69
	14,386.12

EXpenditures for WHICH DEBENTURES MAY BE ISSUED:

Plank Sidewalks 1912-13	156.73
Street Grading	1,088.00
Bridge, Dearborn Street	76.78
Street Lamps	270.00
River Cribbing	243.40

Less Depreciation Reserve	58.34
	1,813.81
	1,755.47
	22,033.25

LIABILITIES

UNION BANK OF CANADA:	
General Account Overdraft	56.18
School Account Overdraft	1.30
	57.48
Less Savings Account	32.49

On Bills Payable	32.49
SUNDRY CREDITORS:	3,800.00
Accounts Payable	602.50
Outstanding Cheques	30.55
On open Account	19.65
School District	8,307.73

SUSPENSE:	9,020.43
Debenture Interest Accrued	2,603.97
DEBENTURE MONIES UNEXPENDED:	
Waterworks	485.62
Fire Equipment	2,031.08

SURPLUS:	2,516.70
Balance from last year	5,974.23
Less Sundry Adjustment	167.81

Add Net Surplus for year.	5,206.43
	1,287.44
	6,493.86
	\$22,038.25

Statement of Capital Account

ASSETS

Waterworks Construction	54,514.88
Less Depreciation Reserve	2,831.85

51,682.53

Fire Equipment

1,603.92	
Less Depreciation Reserve	631.56

962.36

Fire Hall Site

1,365.00	
Balance	54,009.89

2,930.14

50,940.03

NOTE—Expenditure for which Debentures may be issued:

Street Grading, 1912-14 10,666.90

Bridge, Dearborn Street 76.78

River Cribbing 243.40

Plank Sidewalks, 1912-13 156.73

Less Depreciation Reserve 31.34

125.30

Street Lamps 270.00

Less Depreciation Reserve 27.00

243.00

1,755.47

LIABILITIES

BONDED DEBT:

Debentures outstanding per last Balance Sheet

58,709.43

Less Discharged during year

1,769.40

56,940.03

Revenue and Expenditure Account

EXPENDITURES

WORKS AND PROPERTY:

Street Maintenance 40.70

Sidewalk Repairs 64.50

Dump Ground Rent 16.00

121.20

HEALTH & RELIEF:

Salaries 389.16

Charity 290.85

General Expenses 8.50

688.51

LICENSES AND POLICE:

Wages and Uniforms 227.22

Pound Expense 6.00

233.22

FIRE, WATER AND LIGHT:

Street Lighting 813.20

Firemen's Wages 246.50

General Expenses 2.50

Hydrant Rentals 1,330.00

2,392.20

FINANCE:

Salaries 700.00

General Expenses 147.52

Interest and Discount 473.91

Printing, Advertising and Stationery 287.86

Legal Expenses 199.80

Donations and Grants 200.00

Debenture Interest 258.80

536.59

DEPRECIATION:

Fire Equipment 20 p.c. 320.78

Office Furniture 10 p.c. 23.73

Tools and Chattels 20 p.c. 8.74

Police Supplies 16.07

Police Supplies written off 108.98

Street Lamps 10 p.c. 27.00

Plank Sidewalks 20 p.c. 31.34

689.95

TAXATION:

1914 16,807.25

Less School District Appropriation 9,311.80

7,495.45

REVENUE

1,815.40

Revenue and Expenditure Account

To Waterworks Deficit per statement 658.86

Balance carried to Surplus Account 1,287.41

1,946.29

By Balance brought down 1,946.29

1,946.29

1,946.29

WATERWORKS DEPARTMENT

Revenue and Expenditure Account

EXPENDITURE

Wages 662.60

Pipe-Line Repairs 98.50

Connection Repairs 95.07

Printing, Advertising and Stationery 177.75

Sundry Expenses 86.05

Debenture Interest 70.00

Debenture Interest 3,086.17

Depreciation (Debenture Principal) 1,684.68

6,904.72

REVENUE

By Water Rates 3,915.87

Hydrant Rentals 1,880.00

5,245.87

Balance—Deficit for year 158.85

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